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VICTIMS LYING UNBURIED IN GRANADA. THE DISEASE SPREADING IN MARSEILLES-A FEAR-

FUL DEATH RATE. MADRID, Aug. 10 .- Granada is to-day in a most desperate condition as a result of the ravages of chelera. The state of affairs there is really worse than it was in Naples mat year during the cholera epidemic in thateity. There are no dectors now in Granada, and the dead bodies of cholera victims lie unburied in the

disease reported yesterday throughout Spain.

Gipraltar, Aug. 10.—A person having died here today from a malady apparently cholera, the Spanish authorities promptly instituted a land cordon, barring authorities promptly instituted a and corton, harring Gibraltar from communication with the contiguous Spanish territory. This action is proving a source of much annoyance to many persons in Gibraltar whose families live in adjacent villages which they cannot each under the new arrangement.

PALERMO, Aug. 10.—A largely attended public meet-

ing was held here last evening to take action to prevent the introduction of cholera. A resolution was adopted recommending that petitions be forwarded immediately to the Government asking that complete isolation be

granted to Sicily.

Panis, Aug. 10.—Reports from Marseilles received to day state that the weather is again warm, and that the cholera is increasing to such an extent that the hospi-tals have been opened for the reception of patients suf-

fering from the disease.

Reports from Toulon state that two deaths from cholera have occurred there and that several new cases TOULON, Aug. 10.—The sanitary condition of this city is excellent, and it is not believed that cholera will pre-

MARSEILLES, Aug. 10.-There were 300 deaths from cholera in this city last week.

Two cases of cholera are reported from Avignon, on that of a woman from this city who died. LONDON, Aug. 10. -British ships touching at Marcilles will be ordered into quarantine for three days.

DOINGS OF THE ENGLISH PARLIAMENT. PROPOSED COMMISSION TO PIND OUT THE CAUSE

OF BRITISH TRADE DEPRESSION. LONDON, Aug. 10.-Lord Iddlesleigh, First Lord of the Treasury, moved in the House of Lords this afternoon that the peers approve the proposed appointment of a commission to inquire into the causes of the present depression in British trade. He said that the proposed commission intended to ascertain, if possible, proposed commission intended to ascertain, in possion, what were the actual facts respecting the depression, to inquire into the causes of it and report its findings to Parliament without formulating any trade policy. The Parliament without formulating any trade policy. The commission would be composed of men the best able to make the desired inquiries. There had been great complaint concerning the depression in British trade in recent years, and he hoped the Lords would sanction the

Earl Granville opposed the appointment of the proposed commission, reiterating his argument that by appointing it the Government would encourage the public in the false belief that Parliament could by leg-islation remedy the evil complained of.

Robert Bourke, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated in the House of Commons that the advices in possession of the Government did not confirm the reorts of alleged German annexations in Zanzibar, but, on the contrary, showed that the chiefs of the various districts remained steadfast in their loyalty to the

second reading of the bill for the housing of the poer, and stated that the object of the measure was to prevent the overcrowding of people in dwellings and also the versrowding of houses within particular areas. He dided that the Government intended to place the great isons of the metropolis ontside London and utilize tell present sites for the construction thereon of

The personnel of the commission on the depression in trade indicates beforehand that the inquiry will be a failure. The only members versed in the subjects of the inquiry are Professor Price and Mr. Hieks. Mr. Gibbs, of the Bank of England, Mr. Goschen, Mr. Childers, Sir Thomas Brassey, a number of representative bankers of Loadon, and every eminent economist in England were asked to sit on the commission but refused. The result is a group of nebodies, the majority of whom are Conservatives. Some of the memoers are known to be protectionists. The inquiry is discredited at the outset.

The Housing of the Poor bill passed its second reading. Sir Charles Dilke spoke in the debate and was received with cheers. The House then went into committee on the Land Purchase bill.

The Government agreed to drop the church surplus guarantee from the bill, which was then passed in committee.

BERLIN, Aug. 10 .- The International Telegraph Conference opened its sessions to-day. Dr. Stephan, Imperial Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, was chosen president. The rules of procedure observed at the international Telegraph Conference at London were adopted. Two committees were appointed, one to consider the various propositions placed before the convention respecting telegraph tariffs, and the other on technical questions connected with the working of telegraphs. It was found on the assemblage of the conference that the mass of business which has been placed before the body for discussion will compel a placed before the body for discussion will compel a session of from four to six weeks. To-day papers were read bearing on the proposal to compile statistics relative to electrical measurements of the effects of atmospheric currents and thunder storms. It is believed that the voting in the conference on Prince Bismarck's proposition to establish a uniform tariff for all Europe on messaces passing from country to country of four or five cents a word will be very close. The Eastern Telegraph Company strongly opposes the proposal, on the ground that the company's receipts would be seriously disminished if it had to transmit messages to sud from the borders of Europe for anything like five cents a word.

CHRISTIANS MASSACRED BY BLACK FLAGS. PARIS, Aug. 10 .- General de Courcy tele-

graphs from Huc as follows:
"The loaders of the Black Flags have vanished and their bands have dispersed. Tuere are several cases of cholers in the Halphong hospital. The Bishop of Quinhon reports that five missionaries and many Christians have been massacred in the provinces of Biendinh and Phygen and that 5,000 Christians have sought refuge in Quinhon, which is occupied by the French. General Prudsemme has started for Quinhon."

NEWS NOTES FROM LONDON.

KILLED BY a Falling Roof.—The roof of the railway tation at Huddersäold, Yorkshire, fell in to-day while he building was crowded with peenle, and killed two ersons, besides injuring a large number of others.

MARINE DISASTERS.—At Liverpool last evening the British bark Combrian, Captain Little, from Portland, Ore., came in collision with the British ship Elizabeth Nicholson, from Manila. Both vessels were badly dam-

on, The American ship Phineas Pendleton, for New-York slich took fire at Manila on August 7, has been sout d, as the only means of extinguishing the flames.

MEETING OF THE EMPERORS.

VIENNA, Aug. 10.—Extensive preparations are being made for the meeting of the Czar and the Emperor of Austria which will take place shortly at Kremsler, a town of Moravia, on the March. The cost of the decorations and other arrangements for the meeting will reach one million florins. The greatest efforts are being put ferth by the authorities to prevent any attempt being made on the life of either of the potentates. Hundreds of the meet experienced and trusted policemen and detectives have been drafted for service at the town. Precautions have already been taken to prevent the minute of any portion of the town, and great care is being taken in reward to the transpertations of dynamite and other explosive materials. All parceis and boxes destined for Eremsier are barefully examined before being permitted to be sent to the town. The names and compations of all the ledgers and of all the strangers arriving in town have been ordered to be furnished to the police autherities by the proprietors of hetels and lodge-VIENNA, Aug. 10 .- Extensive preparations

EFFORTS MADE TO SAVE RIEL. TRIALS OF THE NORTHWESTERN REBELS-EVI-DENCE AGAINST POUNDMAKER. [BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUME.]

MONTREAL, Aug. 10 .- Mr. Burbidge, Deputy Minister of Justice, returned from Region this morn ngs of the trial of Riel and the half-breeds. It appears for September 18 so as to permit time for the hearing of an appeal before the Court of Queens Bench, Manitoba, which opens on September 2. Riel's address to the jury he describes as caim and deliberate and delivered in gold English. He speaks slowly, possesses much per-sonal magnetism and is altogether just the person likely

to hold an influence over the masses.

Seventy prisoners have been held for trial. Forty of these have pleaded guilty to the charge of treasen felony, the maximum punishment for which is death. Some twenty half-breeds taken at Batouche will be tried on Thursday when the court resumes its sittings. Poundmaker and six braves will be tried on the charge

Poundmaker and six braves will be tried on the charge of murder. here is strong documentary evidence a gainst Poundmaker, which was found amoung kiel's effects. The present meeting of the Mettis at Batouche is that Riel deserted and has consequently ruined them. They desire to see Riel hanged.

The French newspapers are urging forward every reason under the sun why Riel should be saved. One says that when General Gordon was in danger the whole of the British Empire was moved to save him and Riel deserves to be saved quite as much as Gordon. L'Impartial, of Longuenial, says: "John Brown was clearly proved to have vloiated the State law of Virginia and he was executed with all the rigor of the law, but it is worthy of notice that his death was the signal of the decadence of the slaveholders, and iegal as his execution was, it brought on civil war, torrents of blood and the death of a million of men on the battlefield."

Mestings are being held all over the province in agitation of the subject.

CURED AT ST. ANNE DE BEAUPRE'S SHRINE. MONTREAL, Aug. 10 (Special) .- An alleged miracle was performed yesterday at the shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre. A lad, Joseph Fiset, who was a com-plete cripple, and suffering also from a number of runing sores in his back, had come all the way from Massa chusetts to invoke the power of the saint in his behalf, He struggled up to the altar-rail on his crutches, kissed the relics, felt a cold thrill throughout his body, which

cover them he found he sould walk. With devout thanksgiving he had laid his crutches among those of others
who are alleged to have been healed through the interposition of St. Anne, and walked from the church to the
steamer. On board were two medical men who examined the sores on his back and found them dried up. A
member of McGill Medical Faculty, visited him in this
city to-day, and after examination concluded that at the
shrine the boy became convinced that he was cured, and
he obtained that confidence the want of which has prevented him from walking before. So convinced was
young Fiset of his cure that he sent the following telegram to his father, John Fiset, Greenfield, Mass:

"I am perfectly cured. All my sores are healed; can
walk; have left crutches at St. Anne's Home."

MERRITTON, Ont., Aug. 10 .- As a heavily entering the Grand Trunk pards here at 2 o'clock this afterneon it was found that the air-brakes would not and the train dashed past the depot and both engine the adjoining pond. The foremost engine was burie in the water and the second one was completely wrecked over it. The baggage and express cars went wrecked over it. The baggage and express ears went over the bank, and the front passenger coach went partially over. Engineer Cox, of London, was found in the water beside the boiler, dead. His legs were crushed beneath the debris, and he was extricated with difficulty. He was the driver of the second engine. William Jennings, express messenger, of Buffalo, was hadly scalded and will probably die. T. Jackson, train porter, of Niagara Falls, had his back hurt and was injured internally. R. Gurd, porter, of Niagara Falls, had his shoulder dislocated. The injured have been taken to the hospital at St. Catherine's.

PREPARING FOR A SIEGE AT HERAT.

TEHERAN, Persia, Aug. 10.-A letter received here from Herat, dated July 30 last, states that the inhabitants there are buying and storing large quantities of grain. It also says that 2,000 men are engaged constantly in the work of repairing the forts and erecting great bastions. The writer asserts that there is great enthusiasm among the citizens and a determined resolution to defend the city from Russian attack.

are nine miles west of fierat buying mules and camels.

A letter from Askabad has the following: "The Russian railway to this place will be completed by October 1. The officials are busily engaged in buying grain. Since the conquest of the Akhal-Tekkel territory 4,000 Russians have died from the effects of the climate upon them."

CAIRO, Aug. 10 .- Major Chermside telegraphs that the rebeis in July attacked Aigeden, fifty miles east of Kassala, and were repulsed with the loss of seven shelks and 370 men. The Kassala garrison is famishing. SUAKIM, Aug. 10.—A force of Abysalnian troops sent by King John has relieved the garrison of 400 at Zarri, south of Kassala.

THE REVOLUTION IN VENEZUELA ENDED. HAVANA. Aug. 10.-The English mail camer, which arrived here to-day, brought tidings that the revolution in Venzuela is ended. On July 19 President Crespo issued a proclamation announcing the reestablishment of peace.

The steamer Justicia was surrendered to the author ities at Sau Domingo en July 25. On board the vesse ities at Sau Domingo en July 25. On board the vessel were Urdaneta and other prominent leaders. She had two Krupp guns, 5,000 rifles and 5,000,000 cartridges.

Advices from Hayti, under date of July 17, state that a fight took place between the police and some seamen, who were attempting to steal. Among the sailors arrested and imprisoned were three seamen from the American vessel Margie Abbot. The American Minister has demanded that they be taken out of irons, and hopes to secure an indemnity.

FRAGMENTS OF CABLE NEWS. DUBLIN, Aug. 10.—The prospectus for the reorganiza-tion of the Munster Bank has been issued. The capital of the bank is to be £150,000 and it is to have three directors in each province in which it has a branch.

BERLIN, Aug. 10.—Die Vossische Zeitung condemns the scheme of German colonization in Zauzibar. It says its projectors ought to show that the territory which it is proposed to open for settlement is worth the coal that would be consumed in carrying thither the troops needed to retain possession of the country.

PARIS, Aug. 10.—Merchandon Gaspard was executed this morning in the presence of immense crowds. It was a degrading spectacle.

DUBLIN, Aug. 10.—The trial of Dennehy, who was accused of the murder of Cashman in Mill-st., resuited in his acquittal.

PUNISHED FOR AN INSULTING LETTER. CHICAGO, Aug. 10 (Special) .- Samuel Brandt, the traveling agent for a large New-York cloak house, has been a guest of the Palmer House until to-day. He has tried to make the acquaintance of several of the lady guests. This morning one of them received a gushing and insulting letter from him signed "Mr. Miller." This was turned over to the hotel people and when Braudt was turned over to the holes people and when Brandt inquired for letters for his alias, two men grabbed him and landed him in the street. By this time the young woman's father, a prominent professional man, caught sight of him and giving chase played a lively tattoo on his head and shoulders with a heavy cane until an officer took both men to the police station. They were afterward released.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10 (Special) .- Society is in a state of excitement over the charges brought by Henry W. Bartol, a prominent member of the Committee of One Hundred, against his wife of infidelity, and ask ing the courts for a divorce. The lady denies through counsel every charge made against her. The complaint implicates John Draper, of New-York, and William D. Keiley, jr.

TROUBLE WITH THE CABLE CARS. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10 (Special).-In consequence of the many breakdowns in running the cable cars, the conductors drivers will hereafter be paid 20 cents at rip and be compelled to lose time when accidents detain the cars.

BUFFALO SINGERS IN PHILADELPHIA. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10 (Special).-The German singing societies from Buffalo, with 250 members, arrived in the city last night and were met by a large delegation of the local societies. They will be the guests of the Young Macanerchor Society.

RETURN OF TUTTLE'S COMET. Boston, Aug. 10 .- A dispatch by cable re-

BOSTON, Aug. 1U.—A dispatch by cable re-ceived at the Harvard College Observatory from Keil, Prussia, announces the discovery at Nice, France, of Tuttle's comet of 1859. This comet was originally seen by Tuttle, assistant at Harvard College Observatory, and is known to be periodical. Its return has been ex-pected for a year. The following position was received by cable: August 9.6124 Greenwich time, right ascen-

M.CHAEL MULLEN PARDONED.

THE PRESIDENT REVIVES THE MEMORY OF AN ELECTION CUTRAGE IN OHIO.

[BY TRUSGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNA.] CINCINNATI, Aug. 10.-Possibly no one in Cincinnati was more surprised to-day than was Michael Mulien, ex-police lieutenant, who has been serving, violation of the United States election laws. The sur-prise came in the shape of an official document from the Executive Départment in Washington, and was nothing less than an unconditional pardon. The crime of which Mullen was convicted was as flagrant as could well be imagined, but the Democratic papers in their eagerness to find a flaw in the official course of Colonel Wright, who was the United States Marshal for the district in the congressional election, seemed to ignore the act of a Democratic policeman, which prevented more than 100 colored men from voting. On the night before the election in October, Mullen apcolored boarding-house on the river front kept by John Venable. He caused to be arrested not only the boarders in the house, but a number of others who were near these men, over 100 in number, were taken back to the statien, but instead of being locked in cells, were hustled down to the basement. They were given no chance to find out what offence they were charged with and there they remained until 6 p. m. on election day, when they were unceremoniously released without a word of explanation. Their names were not taken on the slate and no charges were ever made against them. Multen was promptly arrested and convicted by a jury in the United States Court. Judge Sage sentenced him to imprisonment for one year. Mullen's friends made the assertion that he was not entirely responsible for the crime, but that officials of higher grade instigated it. For some time efforts have been made to have him released, and to-day the matter culminated in his parlon. The pardon gives, as the grounds for the action of the President the general good reputation of the prisoner, the fact that the application was signed by many first-class citizens, that Mulien probably misapprehended his duties and various other reasons. Personally Mullen is popular, but the reasons given are not likely to be received with favor by those who know the actual facts of the outrage.

THE FIRE RECORD.

HURT BY A FALLING WALL. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 10 .- A fire broke out at 6:30 o'clock this evening in the North and Com Delaware sts., and the entire building and its contents lin & Know, whose wholesale boot and shoe store ad joined the mill, lost about \$30,000; insured. The Daily

Trotter, were burned to-day. The loss is \$40,000, in-sured for \$7,000 in the Commercial Union, North Boyal British and Mercantile Companies. HARIFORD, COUR., Aug. 10.—Fire was discovered

arly this morning in the old Melodeon building on Main-st. The prompt action of the fire department pre-vented what might have been a serious confingration. The loss on the building and to tenants is \$3,000. county, Saturday night Ford's flouring mill, Warford's

of John W. Ikerd, near here, were burned yesterday Buston, Ang. 10. Fire in the large wooden building owned by the Taylor heirs, in Waltham, and occupied

a. m. to-day, destroying ten buildings. The loss is \$30,-000. The insurance is about \$12,000. LOUISVILLE, Aug. 10.—Fire at Frankfort, Ky., this

morning destroyed a handsome block of buildings, in-cluding the business houses of S. Harris, Sewer & Owier, Peter Sawyer and E. H. Taylor & Co. The loss is 54,000 (insurance \$40,700, The origin ' the lire was

time broke out this afternoon in the granite s Nos. 35 and 36 Lewis Wharf, packed with nemp, jute and cordage. The jute was owned by Cyrus Wakefield, the cordage by the Plymouth Cordage Company, and the hemp by Cunningham & Davis, of Philadelphia, and Treond Brothers, of New-York. The buildings are owned by the Lewis Wharf Corporation and leased to A. C. Lomhard's Sons. The loss will be heavy, fully covered by insurance.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 10.—A fire in Concord on Sunday have a see a building a reason of the concord of Sunday have a see a building.

day burned seven buildings. The losses are as follows: W. C. Coleman, groceries, \$5,000; Smithdeal & Ritchie hardware, \$2,000; K. L. Craven, general stock, \$1,500 hardware, \$2,000; K. L. Craven, general stock, \$1,500;
J. H. Bunage, general stock, \$600; M. P. Stose, millinery and art gallery, \$600; John Wallace, bar, \$400;
M. B. Leslie, carriage shop, \$500; William Boyd, two buildings, \$2,200; Caldwell & Shinn, building, \$2,500;
W. G. Mears, warehouse, \$400; Smithdeal & Ritchle, warehouse, \$600; A. N. McWinch, stables, \$300. There was only \$1,800 insurance on all the property destroyed.

FOUR TONS OF METAL FOR COUNTERPRITING. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10 (Special) .- John ouffy, who has served two terms in prison for counter feiting, and W. H. Sassman, heretofore unknown in the business, were given a hearing this morning by United When Duffy was arrested at his home sear Germantow when Dully was arrested at his home sear Germantown on Saturday, evidence was adduced showing that a complete kit of tools, presses, etc., used in the business, together wits ever four tons of metal and German silver were found. Sassman, it was shown, had paid for a press recently put in the piace with a capacity of 300 tons. Limity was held in \$1,000 and Sassman in \$2,000 ball for trial.

THE ALLEGED MURDERER OF PRELLER. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10. - The steamer calandia arrived at 11 a. m., with Maxwell on board in charge of officers. Maxwell positively refused to make any statement respecting the crime with which he is charged, saying that he had been advised by his counsel before leaving Auckland not to open his mouth except to put food in it. He looks cheerful, and says that he never felt better in his life. The officers were equally reticent, declining to discuss the subject of the crime or Maxwell's supposed connection with it. The prisoner will be taken East to-morrow.

SALUTARY EFFECTIOF HIGH LICENSE. MILWAUKEE, Aug. 10.-The new high license

law of Wisconsin increasing the minimum rate of liquor license from \$75 to \$200 has now been in force three months and returns from one hundred towns in the State show that the aggregate number of liquer stores has been dimished by 267; that the aggregate amount of annual revenue is \$224,000 greater than last year, and that the liquor stores generally are under better

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES-BY TELEGRAPH. MURDER AND SUICIDE DUE TO JEALOUSY,

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CARROLLTON, Mo., Aug. 10.—Among others who attended the Presbyterian Church at Coloma, this county, Saturday night, were David Marbies and his wife, who had obtained a divorce from him. At the close of the services Mrs. Marbies was assisted to mount her horse by a young man of the neighborhood, who had accompanied her to church. Marbies stole up behind his wife, placed a pistol to her head and blew het brains out. He went home, but had hardly entered the house when it was surrounded by a mob of men. Marbies placed the pistol to his own head, fired and fell dead.

FATAL RESULT OF A DRUNKEN MAN'S FREAK. CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Three wagons full of people returning from a planic came abreast near the suburbantown of Jefferson late has tright. A race ensued, and the horses were lashed into a run. Suddenly a drunken man in one of the wagons arose and snatched the lines from the driver. The wagon was overturned and the occupants thrown out. The driver was instantly killed, falling under one of the horses, while a baby was knocked out of its mother's arms and mangled to death. Several other people were badly hurt.

ROBBERIES AT A SUMMER RESORT.

BANGOR, Me., Aug. 10.—A dispatch to The Commercial reports that at the Rockaway-House, Bar Harbor, on Saturday night, the room of a lady who was sleeping was entered by means of faise keys and a valuable set of diamonds and some \$1,500 in money taken. On Friday night a guest at the Grand Central Hotel was robbed of \$200.

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DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 10.—A dispatch from Grand
Rapids to The Escaing Journal says that while painting
the dial of the clock in the tower of the Second Stree
Methodist Church this morning, John Fox and "Fred
Schurer fell to the ground, a distance of seventy feel,
Fox was killed outright. Schurer was injured internally
so badly that he died at noon.

RAVAGES OF THE CHOLERA. | sing houses. No person will be admitted to the town | sion, 7 hours, 23 minutes, 43 seconds; declination north | TELEGRAPHIC NEGOTIATION.

MR. GARKETT PUBLISHING DISPATCHES. RE FUSING TO SELL THE BALTIMORE AND ORIO-THE

POOLING AGREEMENT. The rumors about the relations of the Western Union and Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph Companie were changed yesterday so that the agreement was to be between the Mutual Union and the Baltimore and Ohio. President Bates, of the last-named company, said that he was at a loss to know what the rumors were based on. He said: "I have the most positive and explicit denials expect to return before October, and he has not inti-mated to me that he has changed his original plaus." the Baltimore and Ohlo Telegraph Company :

NUSENBERG, Aug. 10, 1885.

To D. H. Bates, President Bultimore and Ohio Telegraph Company, N. F.

Received through Mr. Pender the ollowing from Mr.

Received through Mr. Pender the ollowing from Mr. Field, who sailed suddenly on Saturday for America:

"Russell Sage wants to know the best terms that Garrett would sell his lines right out for money. If he will not sell right out what terms would he accept upon a pooling or other agreement upon a fair basis."

Mr. Field suggests that both companies agree to advance tariff at once keeping separate but under a fair and bidding agreement.

lows:

"I observe that Western Unions have advanced from about fifty-nine to sixty-eight and a considerable portion of this advance has taken place since Mr. Field and I had an interview with Mr. Garrett, I am told that it is understood in America that at that interview, and there was only one, Mr. Garrett approached Mr. Field and myself with a view of effecting a sale of his system to the Western Union as a settlement of the existing state of things with the land lines. This is untrue, and it is only fair to Mr. Garrett that I should let you know this subsequent to the interview. I cabled to you that a pooling arrangement, using the Atlantic and Facific and the American Union purchase as a basis of settlement might be negotiated. It is evident to me that the information you have got elsewhere does not fairly represent the case and I am anxious therefore that

fully explain our independent position.

RAILEOAD INTERESTS.

AN ADDRESS TO NICKEL PLATE BONDHOLDERS. The committee of first mortgage bondholders of the New-York, Chicago and St. Louis (Nickel Plate) Raliway yesterday issued a circular-letter to bondholdnortgage and the equipment trust, the address ended

with these words:

By the morigage it requires the written request of one-fourth of the bondholders to enable our trustee to take possession of and operate the property, and it requires the option of one-half to enable the trustee to fore-close and sell. The committee as now constituted represent among themselves, by ownership and control, several millions of the bonds, have received the names and happy to give up our peace at an be bettered by the substitution of other representatives; but in the meantime we ask your hearty co-operation in adding names, bonds and money to the present list.

The circular is signed by Thomas Denny, chairman, and Jostah C. Reiff, secretary, in behalf of the com-

THE SURRENDER OF THE WEST SHORE.

There is a sharp difference of opinion between the members of the Taylor committee of bond-holders of the New-York, West Shore and Buffalo Railway in regard to the plan for surrendering the property to the New York Central. The address to the bondholders represented by the committee, which was prepared a week ago, is to be medified so that in the absence of unanimous action by the committee the bondholders will be deprived of its advice. It is understood that the real bondholders of the committee have personally assented to the plan and deposited their bonds with Draxel, Morgan & Co. in accordance with it, and that the principal opposition is shown by those who have small amounts or none at all. The action of the committee is of little importance because the bondholders were not bound in any way when they signed the committee's agreement. to the New-York Central. The address to the bondhold-

THE TOWR OF LIEUTENANT LOCKWOOD. ANNAPOLIS, Md., Aug. 10.-The tomb of completed at the Naval Cemetery. The base is a mar-ble slab covering the entire grave. On this is raised a semi-conical dais, surmounted by a marble tablet, the façades of which are embellished with leaves of the oak and pain. The tablet is capped by a hemisphere embracing North and South America, Africa and part of Europe. A star designates the highest northern altitude attained by Lieutenant Lockwood in his Arctic explorations. The inscriptions on the tombare:

"In memory of James Booth Lockwood, U. S. Army, horn at Annapolis, Maryland, October 9, 1852; died at Cape Sabine, Smith's Sound, April 9, 1884.;

"The sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us."

CHINESE DIRGES MISTAKEN FOR POKER. CHICAGO, Aug. 10 .- A policeman on the west side of Clark-st., near Adams, last night heard po-cullar noises in a basement. He soon discovered that the place was the workshop and abode of Ling Loo, who and a rattling within suspiciously like that of poker chips. A descent was made upon the habitation of Ling chips. A descent was made upon the habitation of Ling Loo. Various Chinese instruments of alleged musical intent were found, but all evidences of gambling had been concealed. All the prisoners were taken to the Armory Police Station. Ling Lee explained that "Chinaman no play pokel, we moulning for Genelai Giant." The prisoners, to the number of forty-four, were all released to-day on the payment of a fine of \$5 each. Their attorney said that they played "thunn loo."

CLUVERIUS'S MOTHER VISITS HIM IN JAIL. RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 10 (Special).-The nother of Thomas J. Ciuverius, who is in Jail here under entence of death for the murder of Fanny Lillian Madison, called on him to-day in his cell. It was the first time she had seen him since his arrest and he was greatly affected. Mrs. Tunstall, the prisoner's aunt, and his only brother, were also present. The interview lasted about an hour. The condemned man is hopeful of getting a new trial.

NOT PRACTISING WHAT THEY PREACHED. RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 10 (Special).—The Auditor of the State this evening decided to pay out of the tate Treasury the judgments obtained in favor of holders of tax-receivable coupons amounting to over \$50,000. These suits were brought by the rich Bourbons here aithough they pretend in their State platform to oppose such use of the coupons and implore others to pay their taxes in money.

A REUNION OF THE DOWD FAMILY. Madison, Conn., Aug. 10 .- A reunion of the

lescendents of Henry Doude, who came from England in 1039, has been arranged to take place in this town on September 2. The affair is under the local management of Frederick T. Dowd, of Madison. THE POPULATION OF MASSACHUSETTS. Boston, Aug. 10 .- Colonel Carroll D. Wright

chusetts based on the returns which have been received for the cousus of 1885, will make the number of inhabi-tants of Massachusetts 1,940,000, a gain of about *160,-000 on the United States census of 1890. He expects to have the complete results ready in September.

STUBBORN FIGHT WITH DEATH.

YIELDING ONLY AFTER HALF A CENTURY. PATIENT WHO PERSISTED IN OUTLIVING HIS

NURSES-AN ABNORMAL LIVER.

Robert Hill, age sixty, died yesterday in Bellevue Hospital, and ended what has been looked upon by physicians as a most remarkable demonstration of the tenacity with which the human body will cling to native of England, and was born within a stone's throw boy, he became an attendant at the stable taking a fancy to the boy gave him points in riding, and as he generally won in the races in which he rode, and The end of one of the pickets broke the boy's ribs on the right side and penetrated his lung. He was taken from the field unconscious and lay for about a year on the verge of death in his home. He partly recovered his health but did not have the strength to again mount a horse, and drifted into a different business.

He was constantly troubled with a severe pain in his

side, where he had been injured, and having by the death of an uncle inherited a moderate fortune, h travelled from place to place seeking the advice and assistance of physicians of eminence to secure relief from his constant agony. But it availed him nothing. He brought on a severe inflammation of the lungs. This disease in combination with the difficulty from the injury he had received set up a complication of conditions so serious that he was given up to die railled, and after a period of careful nursing he was able to leave his bed and walk around feebly.

himself. At the place where he had been injured years before the pain was worse than had ever been, and finally a small ing appeared that in time developed into an abscess.
He then became a subject of empyema, and there was an opening constantly maintained in his right side about a half inch in diameter, through which there was a 12, and was expected to die at any moment
He could not est, and the constant
flow of mucus was sapping his vitality
every hour. The pain, however, that had been such as annoyance for so many years, ceased after the formation of the abscess, and he lay for days and weeks unnour ished, save in the most triding manner, waiting for death.

slowly recovered strength so as to be able to sit up in tance around the ward. In order to facilitate the drain age of the lung and give it a free and unchecked flow ter, was run through the passage into the lung and main tained there by a slight pressure at all times except when it became necessary to cleanse the wound, which

In the routine of oilicial life at Bellevue, twenty physi-cians have come, served their time and gone since Hill has been an inmate. He was treated by every one of them and each one expected that he would die in a few days after looking at him for the first time. He disappointed them all. The clerk who wrote Hill's name in the hospital records is dead; three physicians who attended him rest in the tomb; many of the nurses who watched him are in the Potter's Fleid or elsewhere. Hill outlived them all. At least four times since he was admitted to Believue he has been thought to be dead, as the nurses could not see him breathe, but he always revived.

About a month ago he took cold and was put into his cot. The nuceous deposit in his lung increased so rapidly that it could not be removed through the tube, and his blood becoming tainted it carried the destruction all through his body. A state of great exhaustion was set up, and finally the patient sunk into a comatose condition and died peacefully. Before calling the orderlies

This time, however, death had done its work effectually. Hill was dead.

Nicola Ferdinanda, an Italian, age 27, was admittedito Believue Hospital about a month ago, suffering from what was considered by his friends to be a strange malady. He began to increase in size around the abdomen about a year ago and was congratulated upon his aidermante propertions. He soon became troubled by severe pains in the right side, and showed symptoms of a disordered liver. Being a profound believer in the virtues of quack medicines he began to use liver restorers and other forms of empirical nostrums. Instead of affording him relief they seemed to act as a food for the disease and the continued to increase in size and diminish in health. Becoming finally in a condition as to be beyond the care of his friends he was taken to Bellevue. His disease was diaknosed as a cancerous tumor, and measures were taken to stop its growth. They were not successful, and the disease having extended to his heart, the valves became affected and he died from suffocntion yesterday.

An autopsy was held and the liver was found to have displaced, on account of its size, every other organ in the hedy. It weighed fifteen pounds, and was a perfect mass of cancer ceils. Every vital organ was found to have been affected and he cancer ceils were found everywhere, indicating an unusually rapid progress of the disease, due probably to the irritating inducee of the quack medicines he had taken.

EVIDENCES OF EXTREME CRUELIY.

Sarah Perry, age six, died late on Saturday Shall Petry, age the New-York Hospital from brain fever and pneumonia. She was admitted there on last Saturday when she was transferred from the Chambers Street Hospital Her father lives at No. 15 James Slip. Drs. Manning and Hayden examined the child and found that her entire body was covered with contusions. She was also much emaciated. Her father called at the hospital also much emaciated. Her father called at the hospital on Saturday and said that she had been sick four days. The ziri was piaced in the surgical ward and was afterward removed to the medical division when the brain fever developed. It is thought that she also had a fracture of the skull. Dr. Haydon said last night: "The child was brought here on Saturday afternoon. She was a horrible sight to look at. She was sick with pneumonia and brain fever. The bruises on the body were no doubt due to a beating and it is extremely probable that the brain fever resulted from a blow on the head. The appearance of the child indicated that she had been the victim of prolonged cruel treatment and exposure. In fact she was actually starved." An investigation will be made by the coroner.

STABBING HIS WIFE WITH A PAIR OF SHEARS. Carl Lepro, an Italian, age thirty, who lives at No. 212 Mott-st., this city, called at No. 238 North at No. 212 Mott-st., this city, called at No. 238 North Fifth-st., Williamsburg, to see his wife from whom he had been separated. His wife went three months ago to her present house and her husband begen proceedings for an absolute divorce, naming George De Fago, living in Mott-st., as a co-respondent. The tria' ended a few days ago. Yesterday he saw his rival entering the house. Knocking at the door of his wife's room Leprodemanded admittau vs. He forced his way in, and, locking the door, drew from his pocket a long pair of shears and told his wife to prepare to die. He then stabbed her in the back, twice in the neck and indicted another wound on her head. The screams of the woman attracted the attention of a passer-by and the man fied from the room. He ran down North Fifth-st., to Second and through to North Sixth-st. where Charles Hentcher, of No. 34 Leonard-st., captured jhim. It took the efforts of three officers to place him in a cell at the station.

HELD ON A SERIOUS CHARGE. Francis McGarry, a laborer, of No. 512 West Francis McGarry, a laborer, of No. 512 West Sixty-dirst-st, was arrested on a charge of felonious assault last night, preferred by Sarah Rogers, a young girl who was staying in the same house where McGarry lived. She told the police that she went out with McGarry on Saturday night and that he took her to a house in Twenty-second-st, where he gave her something to drink, after which she remembered nothing. She says that she was beaten by a woman in the house. She found her way home yesterday. Surgeon Hopkins, of Roosevett Hospital, says that the girl has one of her ribs broken. McGarry denied the charge. He was locked up.

REPENTING OF A HASTY MARRIAGE. RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 10 (Special).—Mrs. Gaines, a handsome young widow with one child, a month ago met and fell in love with Corbin Morville, of most ago met and led 'good family. On July 21 they this city, a young man of good family. On July 21 they were married and went to housekeeping. To day Mrs. Morville abruptly left the city for Baltimore, taking her beli

PRICE THREE CENTS

SHOT DEAD IN HIS HOUSE.

A LIQUOR-DEALER KILLED IN BROOKLYN

ESCAPE OF THE MURDERER—A MYSTERY WITH FEW

A man with a mortal wound staggered out of the basement door of a house in Pearl-st., near Myrtie-ave., Brooklyn, late yesterday afternoon, crying with failing breath, "Help! Burglars! Murder!" He staggered a step or two, then sank upon the area steps and a stream of blood gushed from his mouth and he was dead.

him from seeing his assailant the stricken man turned and fied up the steps and through the hall to the base-ment door. The marks of blood upon it showed how he had fumbled with the lock in opening it, and a builet-hole in one of the panels was proof that the murderer, desiring to make sure of his work, hadfired again at

infant child past the house when she heard a sound in the basement, and a moment later Mr. Herrick appeared. She endeavored to aid him, but before she could ward toward the right side. It caused external bleed-ing and internal hemorrhage. Blood was found on the lower step of the cellar-stairs and on the basment-door, where it was evident that the wounded man leaned against it.

search of the house. No trace of any person could be found, nor were there any signs that burglars had broke into it. The back basement door was wide open, but Mr. Herrick neight naturally have opened it himself or the murderer had left it open in making his escape. Alongside of the yard runs a high stone wall of the convent of side of the yard runs a high stone wall of the convented the Sisters of St. Joseph. A step-ladder had been placed so that easy access could be had to the top of it, which is eight inches wide. At the extreme end one could descend to a yard and pass through the haliway of a tenement house to the street. No trace could be discovered to show that anything had been stolen from the house. After a thorough examination of the house the builet hole in the basement door was found, and the flattened builet which made it was was found, and the flattened bullet which made it picked up in the area. It fitted a 32-calibre revolver.

The news of the murder rapidly throughout the neighborhood and so placed in an iceox to await the action of the Covered A dispatch was sent at once to Mrs. Herrick at Elienville. One of the first persons sought by the officers of the law was the stepson of the murdered man, Thomas Armstrong. It was said that he went to the tailor shop of James Donahue, at No. 330 Washington-st., shortly after the crime had been committed, and coolly stated that his father had house and fearing discovery when Mr. Herrick went in fled to the cellar to hide; that there he made a noise cause. Then in order to make good his escape the burgtheory, and one which the police were inclined to accept, was that the murderer did not break in the making a noise, and shot him as he reached the bottom of the stairs. As to the motive for the crime no adequate one was discovered. Armstrong did not live on good terms with his steprather and it is said that they frequently quarrelied and high words passed between them. He is about twenty-one years sld and has recently worked for Wechsler & Abrahams in delivering goods. He was not at work yesterday. The young man's character was variously described by his friends. Some of them said that he was of a quiet disposition, and with no bad habits. Others said that he was inclined to sporting. It appears from the police records that he took possession of his mother's diamonds last fall and went to the Monmouth Park races with the levels, and the services of a detective were necessary to secure the return of the jewels.

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In following up the clews the police found that Mrs. Sammis, of No. 338 Jay-st., had seen a stranger in the rear of the nurdered man's house just after the crime was committed. Her statement was as follows: "I was sitting by my back window sewing when I saw a young man jump on the cement wall and run along it. He stopped and looked back of him after going a short distance. Then he went on and climbed down at the end of a fence and so into the yard of a house in Myrtie-ave. That is the last that I saw of him. He looked to me like a gentleman. As near as I can tell I should say he was about twenty-five years old. He wore a square-top Derby hat, was somewhat thick-set and had no beard on the side of his face. I would know him if I saw him again."

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Mrs. Franck, who first saw the murdered man, said last evening: "I was by my window when I saw Mr. Herrick go home and he spoke to me. About ten minutes afterward I was waiking up the street with my baby when I heard the rattle of the basement door or the sound of a pistol shot, I don't know which. Mr. Herrick opened the door and cried, 'Help! Burgiars I Murder!' and staggered out all covered with blood. He was In his shirt sleeves and carried a caudie. I tried to get to him to help him, but I had the baby, and the gate bothered me and he fell over before I could get to him. T called for help and ran to the police station." Mrs. Johnson, of No. 79 sands-st, who was passing, was sure that no one left the house by the front at that time.

The murdered ginan was thirty-five years old, and was much liked by his triends. He formerly kept the "Hawthorn," a well-known road-house on the Coney Island Boulevard, near Parkville. He married Mrs. Armstrong about three years ago and moved to Brooklyn soon afterward. He had lived a year in the house where he was murdered.

The statement that young Armstrong went to the tailor shop of James Donahue after his step-father's murder, and said that his father was shot was made by Mr. Donahue to Detective Lowery. At a late hour last evening Mr. Donahue explained to the police that he had made a mistake by confounding his own son Thomas with the son of the murdered man as the one who told of the crime in his shop. Acting Captain MeNamara said, in reference to the story, "O: timit's exploded. Donahue made a mistake. We don't know that Armstrong has been seen here to-day. It is said that he went to the butchers' plense, but the statement isn't verified. His employers sent afor him to-night at his house." was sent out for the arrest of Armstrong and about midnight he was f-und at the house of an aunt in Park-when informed of

WAGES OF WINDOW-GLASS WORKERS.

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PITTSBURG, Aug. 10 (Special).—The local association of window-glass manufacturers held a meeting to-day, at which the subject of the coming scale of wages was broached. Although the manufacturers are retieents on the subject, it is plain that they propose to make a strong effort to reduce wages. It is said that the manufacturers' committee has been instructed to demand a reduction of 15 per cent. If the workers show a determination to fight, the committee will return to the manufacturers' association for instructions. A question in the window-zlass factories is the apprentice system, as the manufacturers will endeavor to have a greater number of apprentices up at the trade. The workness insist that there is no necessity for a reduction, as the entire steck of glass will be exhausted by the middle of Soptember.

ENCAMPMENT OF THE GRAND ARMY. ENCAMPMENT OF THE GRAND ARMY.

GETTYSBURG, Penn., Aug. 10.—General S.

8. Burdett, commander-in-chief, accompanied by J. Q.
Lineban, department commander of New-Hempshira,
arrived at the Grand Army Encampment to-day, and
this evening the different posts marched in review
before the two distinguished visitors. Addresses to the
veterans were made, one of which advocated a monutment to General Grant to be raised by the Grand Army
of the Republic by a fixed subscription of ten cents from
each member. This was suturishitically received. A
subscription of this kind would aggregate \$30,000.